

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-41 are pending. Claims 1-10, 12-21, 23-32, and 34-41 stand substantively rejected. Claims 11, 22, and 33 present allowable subject matter, but are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim.

In this Amendment, presently pending independent claims 1, 23, and 27 are amended to incorporate elements from allowable claim 22. Claim 22 is canceled.

Applicant submits that all pending claims are now allowable. Withdrawal of the §103 rejections is respectfully requested.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance and an action to that end is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 303-571-4000.

Respectfully submitted,

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